

3 Indicted By U. S. Jury

True bills charging a former employe of the Joliet arsenal and his brother-in-law with the theft of government property in excess of \$3,000 were returned by the federal grand jury in Chicago this week.

Named in the true bills are: Arthur J. Gilbow, of Kankakee, a former arsenal employe, and his brother-in-law, Thomas Neal, of Arma Park. Both men are out on bond.

Their cases will be heard in federal court at the court's convenience.

Col. Raymond C. Costabile, commanding officer of the Joliet arsenal, said that Gilbow had moved many expendable items as well as some tools, from the area. Gilbow's actions were discovered earlier this year, at which time he was discharged.

The FBI in making further investigation, found that the brother-in-law, who was not an employe at the arsenal, had assisted Gilbow in the removal of the items. As a result, he, too, was named in the indictments.

This matter was brought before the federal grand jury this summer and then, because of a technicality, was not carried thru.

Security and intelligence agents have been clamping down on all such cases. Several weeks ago, four men from the plant were arrested for stealing paint. They were remanded to the custody of the U. S. marshall.